

JOB POSTING

Connecticut Mental Health Center
Clinical Social Worker Associate – PN# CM44443

PLEASE NOTE: The location, fax number and e-mail information to send responses to postings has changed. Responses to postings must be sent to the facility where the vacancy exists; therefore, it is important to follow the specific application instructions at the bottom of this posting.

Location: 34 Park Street, New Haven, CT 06519

Program/Unit: Ambulatory Services – TEAM D

Shift/Schedule/Hours: 1st Shift / Monday – Friday 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM / Full Time 37.5 Hours weekly

Salary: Salary Range as of July 1, 2014 - \$65,027.00 to \$87,698.00

Posting Date: Friday June 27, 2014 **Closing Date:** Thursday July 3, 2014

Duties may include but not limited to: Will work as a member of a multi-disciplinary outpatient team serving adults with serious mental illness; often with co-occurring substance use and/or medical co-morbidities. Will independently develop comprehensive psychosocial assessments through interviews with assigned clients and families. Assessments must include consideration of developmental, social and cultural factors, substance use, psychological, environmental and medical issues. Will provide highly skilled individual, group and family treatment, as well as crisis intervention. Will be responsible for the development of recovery-oriented treatment plans that include measurable treatment goals and objectives. Will monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of treatment plans. Will consult and collaborate with other behavioral health and community service providers to improve delivery of service to clients. Will document treatment in clinical records and will complete clinical reports in compliance with agency and accreditation standards. May provide forensic evaluations and court testimony as required. Will provide field work instruction and/or clinical supervision, including instruction in the completion of comprehensive psychosocial assessments and treatment plans. May assist in the resolution of administrative, personnel, and risk management issues within the team and provide coverage for the Team Director in his/her absence. May assist in the collection of clinical data for statistical and/or planning purposes, and may assist in the preparation of administrative reports. May chair or participate in facility or community-based committees. May perform related duties as assigned. The successful applicant will have substantial experience providing direct clinical services to adults with serious mental illness and co-occurring substance use. The successful applicant will also have clinical supervisory experience.

General Experience: One year of experience as a licensed clinical social worker.

Special Experience and Training: Must possess and retain a current motor vehicle operator's license. Travel required. Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice clinical social work pursuant to Sec. 20-195 (m) through (r) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Special Requirements: Successful completion of a Department of Corrections background clearance/compliance check.

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status or candidates who possess the general and special experience and training may apply.

Note: Applicants will be selected in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion, collective bargaining unit contract language, merit employment lists and DMHAS affirmative action goals. Therefore, State employees will generally be considered before applicants from outside State service.

Application Instructions:

Due to the large number of lateral transfer forms and applications received, it is extremely important to note the **Position Number (found on the posting)** on the DMHAS Lateral Transfer Request Form (**upper right-hand corner**) and at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12)

To be considered for this position:

1. **DMHAS employees who are lateral transfer candidates** (example: CSWA applying to a CSWA posting) must submit a completed DMHAS Lateral Transfer Form. Lateral Transfer Request Forms received without a position number will not be processed
2. **DMHAS employees who are promotional/demotional candidates** must submit the State of Connecticut Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). The position number must be noted at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application (CT-HR-12).
3. **All other applicants** must complete a State Employment Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). Resumes and Curriculum Vitae can be provided as supplemental information but will only be accepted if attached to a fully completed application.

PLEASE SEND APPLICATIONS TO:
DMHAS – Connecticut Mental Health Center
34 Park Street, New Haven, CT 06519
Email: donna.zwilling@ct.gov
Fax (203) 974-7637

The DMHAS Lateral Transfer Request Form, State of Connecticut Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) and postings can be found on the DAS website at <http://www.das.ct.gov/cr1.aspx?page=13>

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